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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER SUPPLEMENT TO RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.121

Sir:

This is to supplement the response filed December 8, 2003. Applicant hereby request an extension of time of two months for the response. Enclosed herewith is a Petition for Extension of Time together with the prescribed fee. With this extension of time, the response filed December 8, 2003 is timely.

Respectfully submitted,

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